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## ANNUAL HONORS & AWARDS BANQUET

Wednesday, June 28, 2000

HUMAN SPACEFLIGHT

JOHN W. YOUNG  
NASA Astronaut & JSC's  
Associate Director (Technical)



### PRESENTER

John Young entered the US Navy after earning a BSAE from Georgia Tech in 1952. He started flight training after a year and was assigned to the Navel Air Test Center following test pilot training. In 1962, John was selected as an astronaut. He is the first person to fly in space six times. His flights include Gemini 3 in 1965, Gemini 10 in 1966, Apollo 10 in 1969, Apollo 16 in 1972, STS-1 in 1981, and STS-9 in 1983. He also served on five backup crews for Gemini and Apollo flights. John retired from the Navy as a Captain in 1976. In 1973, he was made the Astronaut Office's Space Shuttle Branch Chief and was selected as this office's Chief in 1974. In 1987, he became Special Assistant to the JSC Director for Engineering, Operations, & Safety. John is currently JSC's Associate Director (Technical) in a role he has held since 1996. Still an active astronaut, he remains eligible to command future Shuttle crews. John has logged more than 14,000 hours flying, including 835 hours in space.

### DINNER MEETING

5:30 Social (Cash Bar)  
6:15 Dinner  
7:00 Awards  
7:30 Presentation

**Entree: CAPTAIN'S CUT PRIME RIB  
or GRILLED SHRIMP WITH PASTA**

MEMBERS & SPOUSES	\$12.00
NONMEMBERS	\$16.00
STUDENTS	\$8.00

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**NOTE:** RESERVATION DEADLINE IS FRIDAY, JUNE 23, AT 5:00 PM.

ANY CANCELLATIONS ARE REQUIRED PRIOR TO DEADLINE. NO-SHOWS WILL BE BILLED.

**ALL ARE WELCOME**

DINNER RESERVATIONS ARE NOT REQUIRED FOR ATTENDING THE PROGRAM ONLY.

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